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Statement by Governor Jan Brewer

Wishing Arizonans a Blessed Passover & Easter Holiday

"This weekend, Arizonans join their families and friends in celebration of two of the holiest and most joyful of holidays.

"Tonight, we will rejoice in the Passover Seder. This is an opportunity to reflect on the Jewish story of Exodus, and to commemorate the triumph of liberation that story represents. This is a message we all can appreciate, regardless of religion.

"On Easter, we will celebrate the single most important event of the Christian faith – the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. We are reminded of the importance of sacrifice, love, hope, redemption and renewal. Regardless of faith or custom, these themes are universal and eternal.

"I hope that all Arizonans have the opportunity to spend these important holidays with their loved ones. Please keep in mind and spirit our brave servicemen and women, who may be separated from theirs. Let us pray for the safety of Arizonans in uniform, and offer our gratitude for their sacrifice.

"May God bless you and your loved ones – and may He forever bless and protect our great State and Nation."

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